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{ **12,000 NEW HOMES – COUNCIL, AFFORDABLE & PRIVATE** }

{ **£3M+ PARK INVESTMENT** }

SHAPING A BOROUGH FOR EVERYBODY.



We all know that the country is facing a housing crisis and that this is having a very real impact on families in London, and within our borough. You have also told us that affordable housing is your number one concern. That's why

we are working to build 12,000 new council, affordable and private homes by 2020 to make sure that there are more homes in the borough to meet local people's needs.

We have ambitious plans to continue to regenerate the borough, making sure it meets your needs in terms of providing more affordable housing, more jobs and more of the things you want to do in your free time.

As our borough grows we will make sure that we have the facilities and infrastructure in place for our existing and new residents. So along with planning for new homes we will make sure that we have the school places, health facilities and transport connections that are needed to make these changes work.

We can't do this alone, and that is why we will be working hard to attract good quality investors, developers and businesses to the borough who can help us to deliver our ambitious plans.

We know that as work starts on development sites there may be some disruption, but we hope you can bear with us as we believe that the long-term benefits will far outweigh the short-term inconvenience.

Learn more about what we've already achieved and about what is coming next as we create a borough for everybody. Watch our plans take shape here: www.walthamforest.gov.uk/shaping

Cllr Clare Coghill

Lead Member for Economic Growth and High Streets
Waltham forest Council



12,000 NEW HOMES

Working with developers we have ambitious plans to build 12,000 new council, affordable and private homes over the next five years. To make sure that they live up to the high quality standards our residents expect, we have created a design charter for developers to work towards. And if that's not enough, the award winning development at The Scene in Cleveland Place, Walthamstow which includes 121 new homes along with a nine screen cinema and a range of new restaurants, is the benchmark for the standard of development that we want to see in our borough.



{ Award winning development - The Scene, Walthamstow }

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{ The new Willowfield Humanities College opens with 300 extra places }

7,000+ EXTRA SCHOOL PLACES

Just last month hundreds of pupils walked through the doors of the relocated Willowfield Humanities College, Walthamstow, for the first time. Providing 300 additional places, this new secondary school boasts a full size sports hall, multi-use games area, dance and drama studios, a performance amphitheatre and a wildlife garden. Work is currently taking place to increase three primary schools - Jenny Hammond and Mayville in Leytonstone and Chingford Hall Primary School in Chingford - by an additional form of entry each. These additional schools places are on top of the 7,060 which have been provided since 2010.



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New 'top cop' appointed

Detective Chief Superintendent Richard Tucker has begun his new role as Borough Commander for Waltham Forest Police

The Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) has appointed Richard Tucker as the new Borough Commander for Waltham Forest.

Detective Chief Superintendent Tucker officially took up his new role on Monday 21 September, and visited Waltham Forest Town Hall for a meeting with Council Leader, Chris Robbins.

DCS Tucker told Waltham Forest News: "I am delighted to have been selected as Borough Commander of Waltham Forest. It is a fantastic place, with fantastic people. I look forward to working with my new colleagues to make sure that Waltham Forest remains the number one borough in the MPS in the reduction of crime.

"That said, we will not be complacent and will continue to work upon what is a very strong bond with our partners, local businesses and more importantly residents to ensure that Waltham Forest is a safe place to live, work and visit. I look forward to working with the Council in the coming months."

Council Leader, Chris Robbins, added: "DCS Tucker takes up his

official appointment of Borough Commander for Waltham Forest following a successful career that has seen him serve on numerous crime squads, lead a specialist unit dealing with serious sexual assault and create a successful 'gang team'.

"We have always had a good relationship with the borough's police. While we know we have more work to do, we will continue to work together in inevitably challenging times ahead."

In recent years successful partnership working between the police and Council has seen the development of Waltham Forest's pioneering anti-gang programme, a newly-launched One Stop Shop for domestic violence victims and work carried out around the Prevent agenda, to combat radicalisation and extremism.

And according to recent crime statistics for Waltham Forest, released by the MPS, there has been a 30 per cent reduction in burglary, halving in theft of motor vehicles and a strong detection rate for domestic violence – the second highest in London – in the last year.

Explore Black History Month

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The Sons of Blighty exhibition will go on display at venues across Waltham Forest as part of Black History Month

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New mural is unveiled



The new mural on the West Avenue bridge, Walthamstow

Residents shared their creative ideas with street artist ATMA and Wood Street Walls to help

create a new artwork on West Avenue bridge, Walthamstow. Officially unveiled on Thursday

1 October, the mural is part of the Walthamstow Village Mini-Holland scheme. Residents shared their

■ New public artwork painted in Walthamstow Village

■ Wood Streets Walls brings residents' ideas to life

artistic ideas at a public workshop in June, and the mural is now bringing colour and life to the public space.

Walthamstow-based art collective Wood Street Walls also recently received a £18,000 boost from the Mayor of London's High Street High Fund. This will go towards their aim to raise £40,000 to convert a disused building in Wood Street into affordable art studio space.

The 'Wood Street Studios' will provide affordable spaces for local artists with 11 studios, opportunities for residents to participate in urban art and free workshops and events.

Mark Clack, co-founder of Wood Street Walls, said: "To date we have raised over £30,000 towards making

accessible art in Waltham Forest a reality.

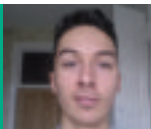
"It is our hope that an affordable art space we will not only enable more artists to remain in the borough, but also inspire the next generation of artists living here."

Wood Street Walls has painted 14 murals across the borough, working with local and renowned street artists; as well as engaging local schools and running free street art tours.

More info

For more information, and to donate to Wood Street Studios, visit www.woodstreetstudios.co.uk.

In my opinion



Max Harris

Resident, Leyton

Every year, despite the rain doing its best to cause a typical bank holiday washout, I always make sure I attend the Notting Hill Carnival. That's because I love the way the event brings people of all races and walks of life together in the name of multiculturalism, unity and just good old-fashioned having fun.

I love carnival, as I believe it allows me to experience just a few of the different traditions of other people who call London home. Our capital city is bright with the light of a thousand different cultures. Waltham Forest is no exception.

It's for that reason that I have

enjoyed the events that have taken place in Waltham Forest this year, and have attended many of the 'Big Weekender' festivals over the summer months. The festivals give us all the opportunity to have a fun day out with friends and family, and meet and get to know our neighbours.

Seeing so many different people coming together and enjoying themselves is really heartening, but something that I don't think happens enough. While it seems in Waltham Forest we can be happy enjoying each other's company for a weekend, the capital is generally regarded as an unfriendly place.

Anyone who was born and raised

in London, or has lived here a while, knows the unwritten rule about avoiding eye contact on public transport. It is ingrained in us from an early age that talking to people on the tube is a major faux pas, and one that can find you branded 'strange' or 'weird'. I find that deeply worrying and saddening, as surely interacting with another human being is a common courtesy, not something that should make people think you have an ulterior motive or are to be feared.

While London is still thought of as one of the world's most economically powerful cities, perceived threats of terrorism and general xenophobia in the news

every day means many Londoners are distrustful of one another.

What succeeds about festivals like the Big Weekender is that they give residents an opportunity to come together, throw away their inhibitions and trepidation and actively participate in the community.

Without this motivation, it's difficult for people in a city like London to make a unified effort to meet and get to know each other

and share aspects of our different cultures.

So I think we should embrace anything that gives people of different backgrounds a way to come together and have fun. It's a unique opportunity to spend the day in the borough's outdoor spaces, enjoying everything from steel bands and Bollywood dancers to traditional British food and American BBQ, and one that I would implore anyone to take.

Want to have your say?

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Leader's Charity Fun Run

Residents looking for a fun way to help raise money for a good cause can sign up for two charity fun runs happening in Leyton on Sunday 11 October.

The event, an idea first suggested by Waltham Forest Council Leader, Chris Robbins, will take place at Leyton Jubilee Park (Seymour Road, E10 7BL). There will be two runs to choose from, a 2km (1.24 mile) course and a 5km (3.11 mile) course.

The runs aim to raise money on behalf of children's charity NSPCC, which is fighting to end all forms of

child abuse in the United Kingdom and Channel Islands.

Although the events are free to enter, runners will be encouraged to make a small donation to the NSPCC to take part, and volunteers will be on hand with collection buckets to take donations from spectators.

The Leader's Fun Run is open to everyone, and you can choose to walk the course rather than run or jog. Children are also welcome to take part in either event, but under 16s must be accompanied by an adult.

You can register online in advance, or sign up on the day. If you are signing up on the day, please allow plenty of time.

Registration for the 2km run will take place between 10 and 10.30am, with the run beginning at 11am. Registration for the 5km course will take place from 11am, with the race starting at 12noon.

The event will be supported by Eton Manor Athletics Club, whose clubhouse is based in Leyton Jubilee Park. To get runners ready, group 'warm up' sessions will take place at 10.45am for the

2km run and at 11.45am for the 5km run. Coaches from England Athletics and Eton Manor will lead participants through a series of exercises and stretches to limber up before the run. All participants will receive a medal.

More info

To register online, visit www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/lbwl-leaders-fun-run-tickets-18573262127. For more information on the NSPCC, visit www.nspcc.org.uk. Free internet access is available at Waltham Forest Libraries.

In brief

Happy Birthday Ivy

Celebrations for Ivy Thacker's 89th birthday were in full swing at Vestry House Museum on Saturday 19 September, with over 300 guests attending. Ivy, who is living with dementia and resides in supported housing in Waltham Forest, lived and worked in Walthamstow during the Second World War. As part of a Council-run multimedia project for older and vulnerable adults, Ivy has connected with a new generation on Twitter with her @diaryivy account. Since January, the account has accumulated over 400 followers. It makes regular tweets summing up Ivy's diary entries from 1944 – giving a glimpse into the life of an 18-year-old woman growing up in the East End while the war raged on. Guests were transported back to the 1940s, with a birthday cake and retro television donated by Hillmans Tea Rooms, milk delivered in glass bottles from Parkers Dairy and entertainment by Auntie Maureen, a popular local gramophone performance artist. Party-goers learnt dances from the period such as the Hokey Cokey, enjoyed a performance by local theatre company Slap Haddock and viewed vintage costumes provided by Gigi's Dressing Room. Throughout the day a rolling slideshow depicted images from Ivy's diary, film posters and pictures of Waltham Forest during the Second World War.

• To catch up with the story being told through Ivy's diary visit www.twitter.com/diaryivy

Black History Month



Comedian Glenda Jaxson will appear at Black History Comedy Night on Friday 30 October

Junior Booker and Judy Love, with performances from singers Ayanna, Tippa Irie and Peter Hunnigale. Tickets cost £10 for adults and £5.50 for concessions.

Leyton Library (High Road Leyton, E10 5QH) will host a screening of a documentary about the life and death of human rights activist Malcolm X on Friday 16 October.

And if you've ever wondered about Black Super Heroes, then get down to North Chingford Library (The Green, E4 7EN) on Saturday 31 October where Tony Warner will be hosting an animation festival to delight visitors aged six to 60.

Council Leader, Chris Robbins, told Waltham Forest News: "Black residents have made a huge contribution to enriching life in Waltham Forest, and we aim to recognise that over the course of October. I am very much looking forward to attending some of the events and meeting residents and performers.

"But Black History Month is more than just a celebration of black culture and achievements; it's also an important way of promoting tolerance and respect in Waltham Forest. We want all residents to continue to enjoy a good quality life in the borough, and hope to see as many people as possible enjoying all the free community celebrations we've got lined up between now and 2016."

More info

For more information on events and activities taking place during Black History Month, visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/enjoylife.

■ **Plays, stories and comedians make for a memorable October**

■ **Something for everyone – with libraries hosting many events**

This October Black History Month promises to be better than ever before, with plenty of family-friendly activities sure to appeal to residents of all ages.

On Thursday 8 October children under five can take part in a Brer Rabbit-themed workshop at the William Morris Gallery (Lloyd Park, Forest Road, E17 4PP). Youngsters will be able to create their own prints using William Morris' designs of the mischievous African American folk hero.

The Sons of Blighty exhibition will be on display at venues across the borough throughout Black History

Month and beyond. Collated by writers' charity The Write Network; it features an assortment of oral histories from British Caribbean men from the 1960s onwards.

The exhibition is on display at Leytonstone Library (Church Lane, E11 1HG) until Tuesday 13 October, at Walthamstow Library (High Street, E17 7JN) from Wednesday 14 to Thursday 22 October and at Vestry House Museum (Vestry Road, E17 9NH) between Wednesday 4 and Sunday 22 November.

On Saturday 10 October, Walthamstow Library will host an

energetic workshop for children of all ages. You can enjoy storytelling sessions with tales from all over Africa and the Caribbean, including Anansi and Krik Krak stories, or take part in a number of fun games.

One night that's definitely not for the kids is the return of Black History Comedy Night on Friday 30 October. Following a sell-out show in June 2015, hosts Robbie Gee and Eddie Nestor will oversee another brilliant night of comedy and music at Walthamstow Assembly Hall (Forest Road, E17 4JD) featuring Curtis Walker, Glenda Jaxson, Kae Kurd, Roger D,

Workhouse exhibition

A new exhibition at Vestry House Museum (Vestry Road, E17 9NH) reveals the building's dark past as Walthamstow's 18th Century workhouse. Between 1730 and 1841 the building, which now houses Waltham Forest's local history museum, was a parish workhouse. Conditions were harsh and it was a last resort for many. Yet for the unemployed, sick, elderly, pregnant or orphaned children who lived there, it provided a place of refuge when there was nowhere else to turn. Highlights on display include original documents, such as the 1779 admissions register, and the only known version of William Hogarth's moral tale Industry and Idleness published for children, from 1768. The exhibition will run until Sunday 17 January 2016. Vestry House Museum is open Wednesday to Sunday, 10am-5pm. Admission is free.

• For more information, visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/vestry-house.

4 Priorities

Shaping a borough for everybody

Waltham Forest Council has four key priorities to help improve the lives of residents. In this edition we look at what is being done to help build a strong local economy and thriving town centres



Waltham Forest is experiencing an exciting once-in-a-lifetime period of change and growth with more people choosing to call the borough home, and the Council is making sure that the community reaps the benefits.

Along with providing new affordable homes there is a strong focus on making sure the borough continues to be a great place for people to live, work and visit.

That's why we are working hard to attract good quality developers who share our ambitious vision for the borough, while ensuring that investment is going into our schools, roads, health facilities and transport network.

Ambitious plans for growth

We know that affordable housing is one of our residents' top concerns and want to make sure that our community and their families can afford to live and stay in the borough.

The Council has identified key growth areas for regeneration including:

Walthamstow Central, Walthamstow St James, Blackhorse Lane, Leyton's North Olympic Park and Lea Bridge Road.

The borough is full of potential and we have already had great

We understand we need to build more than just new affordable homes

successes including: The Scene at Cleveland Place with its new cinema, restaurants and improvements to the public space; Walthamstow Central Station's £22million Solum development and projects underway in Blackhorse Lane, Wood Street, Lea Bridge, the Leyton/Northern Olympic Park Gateway and Walthamstow Wetlands.

In addition to building 12,000 new homes, council, affordable and private, by 2020, the Council recognises we need to create and maintain well designed, thriving and attractive neighbourhoods where people will choose to live.

We want to broaden the range of available local housing to address aspirations as well as housing needs, by also targeting modest and middle-income households who are currently locked out of home ownership.

We can't achieve this alone and the Council is working hard to partner with investors, developers and business that align with our values and vision for Waltham Forest.

Great Place to Live

As one of the greenest borough's north of the Thames, Waltham Forest is proud to be home to the Walthamstow Wetlands – one of the largest urban nature reserves in Europe. The borough boasts heritage and cultural venues including the award winning William Morris Gallery and Vestry House Museum, vibrant town centres

and just last month the refurbished Grade 2* listed Leytonstone Library reopened its doors.

We understand we need to build more than just new affordable homes, there needs to be significant investment in our town centres, along with improvements to parks, schools, infrastructure, leisure facilities and health services to meet the needs of our growing population.

The Council is continuing to improve leisure, parks and recreational facilities for our community. Helping residents stay healthy is a major focus for the Council with all of the borough's leisure centres being refurbished. And one – Waltham Forest Leisure Centre – is being rebuilt from the ground up and is set to be one of the biggest leisure centres in London. Millions of pounds have been invested into the borough's 43 play areas and 69 parks and open spaces.

Great Connections

Whether you use trains, buses, cycle, walk or drive; there are many

projects underway to improve transport links and make it easier to travel in and around the borough

Connections will only improve with the reopening of Lea Bridge station in 2016, with journey times between the south of the borough and the City decreasing to less than 10 minutes. After 30 years of closure the Lea Bridge Station launch will maximise Waltham Forest's links to facilities such as Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, Westfield Shopping Centre in Stratford and the City.

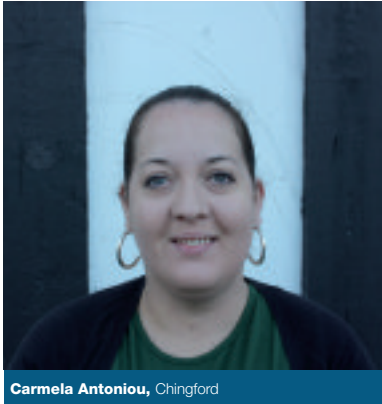
Waltham Forest is also one of three boroughs within London to receive funding from Transport for London for the £30million Mini-Holland programme which will radically improve cycling and pedestrian routes making it easier for people to make the healthier choice to cycle or walk.

More info

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What you say

Residents tell Waltham Forest News what they think about the Council's work to build a strong economy and thriving town centres



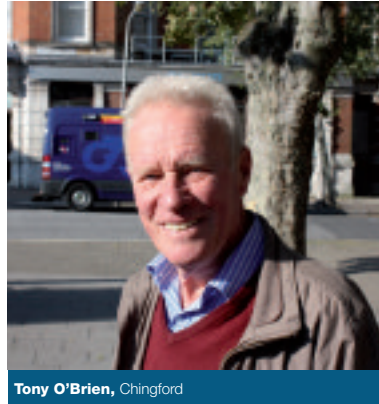
Carmela Antoniou, Chingford

"I've noticed an improvement to the upkeep of our parks and green spaces, which makes neighbourhoods look more inviting. As a parent, I think there needs to be more funding for schools in the area. Children are our future and they deserve the best start to life, I also think it's important for the community to support their local schools through activities such as fundraising."



Diane Chipperfield, Chingford

"Chingford could benefit from a greater variety of local independent shops. I encourage the Mini-Holland Programme but believe drivers still need to be considered in future plans. I think it's important that the Council treats all parts of the borough equally."



Tony O'Brien, Chingford

"I have lived in the borough since 1968 and given the time we live in and the financial constraints on local government, I believe Waltham Forest is doing a good job. I am very happy with Council's rubbish collection service. I do believe that we need to do more to encourage local businesses into the area, such as offering reduced rates until they have a chance to establish themselves."



Alan Butterworth, Chingford

"I believe Waltham Forest has improved over the past five years and I find Chingford to be a very well maintained area. There is a shortage of housing in the borough, but this is a London wide issue. The roads have become busier over time and I support Mini-Holland in principal – I would consider cycling more if improvements were made to our main roads."



Local economy

Priority:

We will help build a strong local economy and thriving town centres

Commitment:

- Support our schools and colleges to provide top quality education and training across the borough
- Work to improve our town centres so that they have the quality mix of shops and services that you want
- Actively promote a borough wide 'spend local' campaign to keep wealth in our borough and support local businesses
- Provide an investment fund for local businesses and services in our town centres

Priority: We will keep your neighbourhood clean and safe

Priority: We will support affordable housing for everyone's needs

Priority: Help all of our residents enjoy a good quality of life

In brief

New rights for consumers

The Consumer Rights Act comes into force this month, making it easier to understand your rights when buying goods and services. The new Act, which replaces a number of previous pieces of legislation, also covers digital content for the first time. You will now have the right to a replacement if you download faulty digital content such as music, films and e-books. The Act also gives consumers a 30-day period to return goods for a full refund if they turn out to be faulty. More information on the new Act will be available during this year's National Consumer Week, which takes place from Monday 2 to Friday 6 November.

• For more information, visit www.gov.uk/government/publications/consumer-rights-act-2015

A-paws for service

Waltham Forest's Dog Enforcement Team has been awarded the RSPCA's Gold Footprint Award for the eighth consecutive year. The award recognises local authorities, housing providers and contingency planners who are exceeding statutory requirements and achieving higher animal welfare standards. The Council service includes the collection, reunion or rehoming of strays, micro-chipping and investigating dangerous dog reports. Waltham Forest is one of only a few boroughs to have a team dedicated solely to dealing with dog-related incidents and in 2012 achieved RSPCA Platinum Stray Dog Footprint status for our work around stray dog policy and procedures.

• For more info, visit www.rspca.org.uk.

Recycling on Estates

Residents living in blocks of flats are being reminded that they should recycle as much of their household waste as possible. Around 70 per cent of all household waste is recyclable. If you live in a flat, you can ask the Council for a reusable recycling bag to help you collect all tins, cans, mixed plastics, paper, card, cartons and plastic bags. Fill the bag up, and each time you leave your home simply remember to empty it in the communal mixed recycling bin, which you will find near the entrance to your flats or next to the refuse bins.

• For more information, visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/recycling. To request a reusable recycling bag, phone 020 8496 3000.



This vehicle was seized as part of the investigation and will now be crushed. Inset: The illegally-dumped waste

Fly-tipper convicted

■ Fly-tipper gets suspended prison sentence

■ Vehicle used for illegally dumping waste will now be crushed

A man convicted for illegally dumping building waste in the Walthamstow area has been given a six-week suspended prison sentence and will have his vehicle crushed.

Martin Ward, of Shelbourne Road, Tottenham, was arrested in June 2015 on suspicion of fly-tipping, following a report about a large amount of building materials being dumped in Folly Lane, Walthamstow. Eagle-eyed Neighbourhoods officers were able to track the waste back to a property in Haringey. In a joint operation with the Police, Mr Ward was arrested and had his vehicle seized.

Sentencing took place at Thames Magistrates' Court on 1 October 2015. Magistrates sentenced Mr Ward to a six-week prison sentence, suspended for two years. He was also ordered to pay £100 prosecution costs. His vehicle was forfeited and will now be crushed.

"This is a satisfying result and serves as an example of how

seriously we take fly-tipping in this borough", said Cllr Clyde Loakes, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Environment.

"Clearing up fly-tipping costs the Council – and by extension the residents of Waltham Forest – £1.5million a year. We will continue to use the full extent of the law to punish anyone caught in the act. If any residents witness fly-tipping taking place they should report it to us so we can investigate and take necessary action."

The Council is already putting to use new legislation that makes it easier for local authorities to seize vehicles suspected of being involved in fly-tipping. The Council also continues to press the Government to introduce a new band of Fixed Penalty Notices for lower-level fly-tipping offences, that covers the true cost of clearing collection and disposal of these enviro-crimes.

Anyone convicted of fly-tipping could be issued with an unlimited fine or a custodial sentence of up to five years. Even small scale

offenders can be fined up to £1,000, and vehicles can be seized and sometimes crushed. It may not stop there, as councils are also permitted to share information with a range of other partners if further criminal offences are suspected, including the Police, Department for Work and Pensions, HM Revenue and Customs and the UK Border Agency.

The quickest way to report fly-tipping is online through the Council's website. The Neighbourhoods Team will aim to get the waste cleared as quickly as possible, and will try and trace where it came from.

Residents should be wary of anyone who approaches them offering to take away waste on their behalf, which is more likely to happen if you have waste visible outside your property. If you are approached by someone offering to remove your waste, ask to check their waste carrier licence – it is illegal to transport waste without one. If you pay someone to take

away your waste and they dump it illegally, you will be committing an offence too. You can check if a waste carrier is licenced by visiting www.gov.uk/find-registered-waste-carrier.

You can dispose of your waste responsibly by using household waste and recycling collections, or taking it to one of the three recycling centres in the borough, which are located in Chingford, Leyton and Walthamstow.

The Council also provides a free bulky waste collection service for larger items such as furniture, white goods and garden equipment. You can have up to five items picked up per collection, and there is no limit to the number of collections per household. Collections must be booked in advance, and you will be given a date when you book.

More info

To report fly-tipping, or book a bulky waste collection, visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/mystreet or phone 020 8496 3000.

Keeping the borough clean

- Making sure that your streets are clean, green, safe and, most of all, loved
- If you witness someone doing the wrong thing, please report it to the Council



Neighbourhoods officer cleaning our streets

Working hard to ensure the borough's streets are clean, green, safe and loved, the Neighbourhoods Team has been busy tracking down fly-tippers, uncovering dodgy traders and generally tidying up the borough.

But with more than £5million spent on keeping the borough clean

each year, residents need to play their part and help keep Waltham Forest's streets, parks and open spaces looking their best. This means putting litter in the bin when you're out and about, picking up after your dog and not spitting or urinating in public.

Along with doing your bit,

residents are also being encouraged to report any enviro-crimes they see happening by contacting the Council. We can not only clear it up, but look at ways of stopping it from happening in the future, including issuing fines and prosecuting offenders.

From November, the Neighbourhoods Team will be working with service provider NSL. They will supplement our Neighbourhoods Team with enforcement officers operating on a trial basis targeting key enviro-crime hot spots in the borough.

This will enable the Neighbourhoods Team to focus on high priority issues such as fly-tipping and noise nuisance. The nine month trial will involve officers from NSL handing out warnings and fixed penalty notices for illegal activities including littering, dog fouling and anti-social behaviour including spitting and urinating.

Cllr Clyde Loakes, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Environment, said: "We have made an enormous effort in recent years

to improve our local environment by hammering down on fly-tipping by a third, providing a free bulky waste collection service and developing and implementing innovative policy changes to tackle enviro-crime.

"We know that the vast majority of our residents do the right thing and it's not fair that they should have to pay to clean up after the irresponsible and lazy few.

"We issued over 800 enviro-crime FPNs to people over the last year and will not shy away from taking action to deter and reduce the number of those doing the wrong thing to the detriment of our community.

"We're cracking down on littering, dog fouling and anti-social behaviour and if you witness someone undertaking these activities, we urge you to report it to the Council."

More info

For more information of the Neighbourhoods Team, visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/mystreet. To report an issue, visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/report-it.

In brief

Village 'In Bloom' success

Walthamstow residents are celebrating after winning a prestigious environmental award for the sixth time. The area was once again recognised for its continued horticultural high standard, responsibility to the environment and community participation at the London in Bloom awards, held on Tuesday 15 September. The Walthamstow Village In Bloom team, part of the Walthamstow Village Residents Association (WVRA), was awarded gold standard and named overall winner of 'London's Best Village' category. The Village was also awarded the 2015 Greener Streets Award, beating all other entrants for 'greening the grey' streets of London. Walthamstow Village in Bloom is sponsored by the WVRA and local businesses and is supported by the Council. Anyone who is interested in finding out more can attend WVRA's AGM at The Asian Centre (18a Orford Road, E17 9LN) on Monday 19 October at 8pm.

• For more information, visit www.walthamstovillage.net/in-bloom/. Free internet access is available at Waltham Forest Libraries.

Leader's Fun Run

Leyton Jubilee Park

Sunday 11 October

Free family run over 2km and 5km

2km at 11am, Registration from 10 – 10.30am, group warm up 10.45am

5km at 12noon registration from 11am, group warm up at 11.45am

This will be a charity event with all donations going to NSPCC



Register online at <http://www.eventbrite.com/e/lbwf-leaders-fun-run-tickets-18573262127>

Sports and fitness

Massage Therapy

Mondays, 2.30–9.30pm

The Score Centre, 100 Oliver Road, E10 5JY
Rejuvenate your body and mind. Give yourself a break from the busy London lifestyle with a professional massage tailored to your needs. Treatments include deep tissue massage, holistic massage and reiki. Fully qualified and insured practitioner with 12 years' experience. £45 per hour, 10 per cent off first booking. Cash or cheque only. **For more information, or to book, phone Sabrina on 07521 476 573, email zenfalco@hotmail.co.uk or visit www.zenfalco.com.**

Circle Dancing to world music

First Thursday of the month, 1.30–3.30pm

Welcome Centre, St Mary's Church, 8 Church End, E17 9RJ
Beginners are welcome to join us for circle dancing to world music. There is no need for a partner, just turn up. £4 per session, refreshments included. **For more information, phone Pat on 020 8556 3508 or email jean.duggleby@virgin.net.**

West Essex Ramblers

Saturday 17 October, 10.30am

Meet outside Bethnal Green Tube Station, Cambridge Heath Road, E2 0ET
Join us for a nine mile walk which finishes in Walthamstow. There will be a pub stop, but please bring a packed lunch. This friendly rambling group offers led walks on Wednesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays each week, through London and country, long and short and of varying paces. We also offer walking holidays in England and abroad. Sorry, no dogs. **For a sample programme, or more information, phone 020 8502 1628 or visit www.westessexramblers.org.uk.**

Zumba Fitness with Michelle

Mondays, 7.30pm

The Vestry Hall, The Green, Chingford, E4 7ER

Wednesdays, 1pm

St Edmunds Church Hall, 216 Chingford Mount Road, E4 8JL
Thursdays, 8pm
Chingford Congregational Church, Chingford Mount Road, E4 8LT
All are welcome at these Zumba Fitness sessions. All classes are £5 pay as you go, or £20 for five classes when you pay in advance. **For more information, phone Michelle on 07869 128 186.**

Free Karate for all

Tuesdays and Fridays, 6–7pm

Frederick Bremer School, Siddeley Road, E17 4EY

Sundays, 12–1pm

Chingford Leisure Centre, New Road, E4 9EY

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6.15 to 7.15pm

The Peter May Sports Centre, 135 Wadham Road, E17 4HR

Join us for a free trial Karate class at one of the three locations above. Everyone is welcome. **For more information, visit www.karate-london.co.uk or phone 01992 768 664.**

Donation Yoga for all levels

Wednesdays, 11am; Thursdays, 7pm and Saturdays, 10.30am

United Reformed Church, 58 Orford Road, E17 9QL
Yoga has masses of benefits from sleeping more peacefully, reducing stress, improving strength and flexibility and detoxing you. Yoga isn't just for the young and flexible – all poses can be modified to suit every body type. Come and join registered Yoga Alliance teacher, Sarah, at these friendly local classes. **For more information, email enquiries@yoyoga.co.uk, visit www.yoyoga.co.uk or phone 07815 120 792.**

Zumba® with Chloe

Tuesdays, 7pm

Walthamstow School for Girls, Church Hill, E17 9RZ

Wear low tread, supportive trainers and bring a bottle of water to enjoy this exhilarating dance fitness class in a low pressure atmosphere. £5 drop in, discount available for advance payment. **For more information phone 07903 629 636, email Chloe@dancechloe.com or visit www.DanceChloe.com.**

Circuits with Chloe

Tuesdays, 8.15pm

Walthamstow School for Girls, Church Hill, E17 9RZ

A high impact exercise class for men and women who want to improve strength and stamina. Aiding weight loss and muscle tone in a friendly environment with variations for all levels. £6, drop in. **For more information phone 07903 629 636, email Chloe@dancechloe.com or visit www.DanceChloe.com.**

Pilates with Chloe

Days and times vary

Healthworks, 111a Hoe Street, E17 4RX
A maximum of four people per class allows these sessions to be unique in their attention to detail for each individual. A functional exercise class to correct physical imbalances, while improving posture and core stability. Please pre-book your induction and first class. £12 pay as you go, or £66 for six classes. **For more information, phone 07903 629 636, email Chloe@dancechloe.com or visit www.DanceChloe.com.**

Gentle Yoga

Mondays, 6–7pm

The Mill, 7 – 11 Coppermill Lane, E17 7HA
Great for beginners, people with health issues, newbies or anyone wanting a nice small, friendly relaxing yoga class. We learn simple physical poses that improve posture and physical and mental wellbeing then

have a calming relaxation to finish. £10 drop in, or £9 with a loyalty card. Private lessons available. **For more information, and to book, email josettayoga@hotmail.co.uk or phone 07554 440 499.**

Ashtanga Yoga

Mondays, 7–8.30pm

The Mill, 7–11 Coppermill Lane, E17 7HA

A fast-flowing dynamic yoga class for emotional and physical wellbeing. Great for cleansing, increasing fitness, flexibility and balance, with a calming relaxation to finish. £11 drop in, or £10 with a loyalty card. Private lessons available. **For more information, and to book, email josettayoga@hotmail.co.uk or phone 07554 440 499.**

Ladies Tap Dancing Classes

Thursdays from 12.15pm

St Edmund's Church Small Hall, Larkswood Road, E4 9DS

Beginners' classes start at 12.15pm, with improver's sessions from 12.30pm. Classes are also available on Tuesday evenings. £4 per class. **For more information, phone Mandy on 07976 786 404 or 01992 524681.**

Capoeira Classes

Mondays and Wednesdays, 6–7pm (children 5+) and 7–8pm (adults)

Walthamstow Leisure Centre, 243 Markhouse Road, E17 8RN

Capoeira is a Brazilian art form that combines martial arts, dance, music and acrobatics. Training capoeira involves all muscle groups and exercises the whole body and mind. Suitable for all ages, backgrounds and abilities and a fantastic activity for children. First class free, then £9 per class. All levels welcome. Discount available for children and students. **For more information, phone 07462 745 158, email sacimaculelecapoeira@gmail.com or www.sacimaculele.com.**

Walk for Women

Mondays, 10–10.45am

Lloyd Park, Off Forest Road, Walthamstow, E17 4PP

Enjoy autumn's colours and say no to winter blues with a weekly walk in the park. Improve your health and well-being by enjoying a walk to suit your pace and a friendly chat. Buggies welcome. Meet outside the park café (by the play area in the middle of the park). **For more information, email ellie.mortimer@walthamforest.gov.uk, phone 020 8496 2822 or visit www.walthamforest.gov.uk/lloyd-park.**

Clubs and community

Suntrap Open Day

Saturday 10 October 1–5pm

Suntrap, Church Road, High Beach, Loughton, IG10 4AJ
Suntrap's annual open day is suitable

for all ages from two to 92 years! You can meet the animals, pond dip, peer down microscopes, have a go on the low ropes course, enjoy some craft activities, stroll through the forest on a guided walk, look at our exhibitions or enjoy some light refreshments. No booking required. Entry is free, but there is a £3 charge for parking. A free shuttle bus to Suntrap departs from Chingford Station at 12.50pm, 1.40pm and 2.25pm with return journeys back to the station at 3.15pm, 4.30pm and 5pm. **For more information, email suntrap.centre@walthamforest.gov.uk or phone 020 8508 0611.**

Make nature a home

Saturday 7 November 10am–12pm

Suntrap, Church Road, High Beach, IG10 4AJ

Help us to make new habitats for animals in the Suntrap grounds, before making your own ladybird hotel or bird feeder to take home. £2 per person, no booking required. **For more information, email suntrap.centre@walthamforest.gov.uk or phone 020 8508 0611.**

Lantern making, bonfire and burgers

Saturday 28 November, 4–7pm

Suntrap, Church Road, High Beach, IG10 4AJ
Make your own lantern which will light your way to the bonfire in the grounds of Suntrap. Enjoy a warm drink and burger round the fire before you finish off with toasted marshmallows. £6 per person, or £20 for family of four. **Booking is essential, so please email suntrap.centre@walthamforest.gov.uk or phone 020 8508 0611 to reserve your place.** can you add a couple more listings please

Affordable Psychotherapy in English and Spanish

Monday to Friday, 9am to 8pm

Near St James Street Station
Short and long term psychotherapy for individuals and couples. Sliding scale of fees, meaning that everyone can access psychotherapy. Concessions for students, unwaged and retired people. **For more information, phone 07912 887 588, email info@valeribonfiglio.co.uk or visit www.valeribonfiglio.co.uk.**

Quiz Night

Saturday 10 October, 7.30pm

Leyton Orient Supporters Club, West Stand, Matchroom Stadium, Oliver Road, E10 5NF

Come along and test your grey matter at this quiz night, which will include a fish and chip supper. Tickets cost £10 each. If you are interested, please send an email using the subject 'Club quiz night' so we can judge demand for the event. **For more information, email etonmanorac2013@gmail.com.**

Adults with Dyslexia Meet-up

Tuesday 27 October, 6.30–8.30pm

Quaker House, 1a Jewel Road, E17 4QU

A free group run by Waltham Forest Dyslexia Association for adults with dyslexia to share experiences and learn different ways to cope with having dyslexia. Come along and hear practical information, tips, resources and creative solutions. **For more information, visit www.wfda.org.uk.**

Bridge Lessons for Beginners

Mondays from 26 October, 7.30–9.30pm

22 Horsley Road, Chingford, E4 7HX
Bridge is a game of skill and chance played by four players who form two partnerships. Bridge can be a lifelong pursuit and a learning process that never ends. It can be exciting, challenging, frustrating but never boring. It is a social card game that includes strategy, trust and teamwork. It is also a great way to sharpen your memory and exercise the brain. You will be partnered with another member of the class, or why not join with a friend? **For more information, visit www.eastlondonbridge.co.uk or phone Ray on 020 8281 8376.**

Free English Classes

Thursdays, 9.30–11am

Christ Church, Francis Road, E10 6PL
Want to improve your English conversation? Then join us on Thursday mornings. All learning materials are provided; just bring a pen and a notebook. Sorry, no crèche facilities provided. **For more information, phone 020 8539 0193.**

Friends of Langthorne Park Halloween Party

Saturday 31 October, 4.30–7pm

Langthorne Park, Birch Grove entrance, E11 4YG

A special Halloween Party, organised by the Friends of Langthorne Park. There will be prizes for the best fancy dress costumes. Entry is free. **For more information, visit www.facebook.com and search 'Friends of Langthorne Park' or email dpyall@btinternet.com**

Good Life Club

Every Wednesday, 1–3pm

Jubilee Hall, Greenleaf Baptist Church, Greenleaf Road, E17 6QQ

A club for residents aged 55 and over. Join us for speakers, quizzes, videos and social events. Entrance £2, including refreshments. **For more information, email geraldine.miller10@ntlworld.com.**

Free ESOL Course

Wednesday and Thursday, 1–3pm

Chingford Children's Centre, 5 Oak Grove, E4 6EY

Do you have children aged under five? Do you need to find work? Do you need to improve your English? If you answered yes to these questions, then please get in touch and find out more about our ten week intermediate English language course.

A free crèche is available. **For more**

information phone 020 8496 1551, visit www.chingfordchildrencentre.org or email lingard.jo@gmail.com.

Black History Month Celebration

Saturday 10 October, 12–8pm
St Edmund's Church Hall, Larkswood Road, E4 9DS

Come and celebrate this community event with your friends. There will be a number of interesting stalls to browse, including an exhibition of books by black authors, African headwrap demonstrations, a selection of world foods and health awareness information. Entertainment will include children bearing flags, steel bands, poetry, music, dancing and much more. A grand opening will take place at 2pm, with Jenette Arnold OBE AM and Reverend Lesley Goldsmith. **For more information, email merle60@googlemail.com.**

Culture and crafts

Waltham Forest Community Choir

Every Monday, 7.30–9.30pm
St Mary's Church, Church End, E17 9RJ
We are a self-funded group open to anyone living or working in the borough. Previous singing or musical experience is not required. We believe that singing should be accessible to anyone and we do not audition prospective members. Our musical repertoire is diverse, and includes classical, traditional, folk and popular styles. £50 per term. **For more information, visit www.singwithus.net, email members@singwithus.net or visit www.facebook.com/walthamforestcommunitychoir.**

E17 Guitar Club

Saturdays, 12noon, 2.30pm and 3.30pm
Hornbeam Café, 458 Hoe Street, E17 9AH
Guitar playing and performing fun for adults of all abilities. Playing groups and beginners courses available. Pay £52 for a half term of six, 40 minute lessons. Playing group drop in costs £10. **For more information phone Christian Karlsson on 07958 471 083, email chris@e17guitar.com or visit www.e17guitar.com.**

E17 Jazz

Tuesday 27 October, 8.30–10.30pm
Gnome House, 7 Blackhorse Lane, E17 6DS
The award winning E17 Jazz Collective presents concerts on the last Tuesday of each month featuring local musicians of national renown plus exciting guest stars in a relaxed jazz club setting. **Entry is £8 or £5 for concessions. For more information, visit www.e17jazz.com/whatson/**

Jewellery Making Workshops

Saturdays and Sundays
124 Farnan Avenue, E17 4NH
Join our taster workshop on Saturday

26 September to have fun learning a variety of bead and wire jewellery-making techniques. Other workshops include making sun catchers, enamel flowers and wire crochet. Most workshops are suitable for beginners. Booking is essential. **For more information, or to book a place, phone Birgit on 07910 251 629 or visit www.beyondbeading.co.uk.**

Sing at The WO

Every Monday, 7.30–9pm
The Warrant Officer, 318 Higham Hill Road, E17 5RG
Join our community choir. Absolutely no auditions, all abilities welcome. Raise your voice and lift your spirits. Join us for a free 'taster' session, then pay £6 per session in advance or £7 pay-as-you-go. **For more information, email singatthewo@gmail.com or phone Laura on 07813 686 980.**

E17 Swedish language course

Mondays and Wednesdays, 7.30pm
Hornbeam Café, 458 Hoe Street, E17 9AH
Learn Swedish in these beginners/intermediate and conversation courses classes. Relaxed and fun for adults. Pay £120 for a term of twelve, 60 minute lessons in a small group. Individual lessons also available. **For more information, phone Christian Karlsson on 07958 471 083, email chris@e17swedish.com or visit www.e17swedish.com.**

E17 Designers' Autumn Market

Sunday 11 October, 2.30–6pm
Asian Centre, Orford Road, E17 9LN
Stop, shop and socialise with your favourite artists, designers, makers at our regular autumn event. £2 entry includes a free drink from Burgess and Hall and goody bag draw! **For more info, visit www.e17designers.co.uk.**

'I'll Be Back Before Midnight'

Friday 16 to Saturday 18 October, 8pm
Forest Community Centre, Guildford Road, E17 4EA
The Drama Workshop of Waltham Forest presents 'I'll Be Back Before Midnight' by Peter Colley. The play tells the tale of a woman who is recovering from a nervous breakdown in a country cottage, who finds herself tormented by strange sounds in the night and visions of a vengeful ghost. Tickets cost £8 or £5 for concessions. **To comply with regulations, tickets must be booked in advance. Please phone 020 8524 7269.**

Children and young people

Diverse Talent Football Academy

Tuesdays, 5–7pm and Thursdays, 5–6pm and 6.30–7.30pm
Drapers Field, Temple Mills Lane, E15 2DD
Tuesday sessions are for children aged

under 6, 7 and 8. Thursday sessions are for children aged under 9, 10 and 11 and children aged under 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16. Join our development centre, train and play in a brand new league. Pro academy standard training sessions adapted for all standards, £48 per term. **For more information, phone Brian on 07585 565 613 or visit www.diversetalent.org.uk.**

Acting Bugs

Fridays, 9.45–11.30am
The Peterhouse Centre, 122 Forest Rise, E17 3PW
Acting Bugs and Diddy Bugs are interactive drama groups for children aged three to four years and 18 months to three years, led by local TV actress and mum, Sam Seager, and children's author Shirani Bolle. The sessions last 45 minutes and introduce pre-school children to the world of drama in a fun and playful way, inspiring young imaginations through the use of storytelling, movement, music, puppets and bubbles. The sessions will get your little ones imagination buzzing, help develop focus and build confidence in a friendly and safe environment. Parents stay with their children through the session. Numbers strictly limited, so please email to book your free taster session. **For more information, email info@actingbugs.co.uk or visit www.actingbugs.co.uk.**

E17 Junior Guitar Club

Saturdays, different levels and times
Hornbeam Café, 458 Hoe Street, E17 9AH
Guitar playing fun and performing for children of all abilities, age 6 and over. Pay £52 for a half term of six 30 minute lessons. Different levels and times. I also offer after school weekday groups near Wood Street. **For more information, phone Christian Karlsson on 07958 471 083, email chris@e17guitar.com or visit www.e17guitar.com.**

Children's Halloween Disco

Friday 30 October, 5–8pm
Chingford Assembly Hall, The Green, Station Road, E4 7EN
A party disco, primarily for children aged four to 11, featuring entertainment from Sally Squiggle. On sale will be refreshments, food, sweets, sand art, a 'Frozen' and super hero tombola, toys and glow sticks. Younger children may attend, but still need a ticket. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Entrance costs £6 for children and £4.50 for adults. **For more information, to buy tickets or book a stall, phone 020 8559 4500, email irenebull@hotmail.co.uk or visit www.chingfordvillagefestival.info.**

Be part of Scout and Guide Show 2016

Sunday 29 October, 2–3pm
Winchester Road Methodist Church, Winchester Road, Highams Park, E4 9JP
The Scout and Guide Gang Show 2016 will take place at Chingford Assembly Hall in April 2016. The Gang Show Team invites all Scouts, Guides, Rangers, Explorers, Senior Section and Network to come along

to our cast 'get together' on Sunday 29 November. Gang Show is a family variety show featuring music, dance, comedy, songs and sketches – performed by Scout and Guide sections. We are looking for an enthusiastic cast to take part in next year's show, so if you enjoy singing, dancing, acting, making new friends and most of all having fun the Gang Show is for you. There are no auditions; we welcome everyone regardless of ability. **Register your interest at www.wfgangshow.org.uk. For any queries, phone Mike Hayward on 020 8527 5435.**

Learn to play Junior Ice Hockey

Tuesdays and Fridays, 7.15–8.15pm
Lee Valley Ice Centre, Lea Bridge Road, E10 7QL
We are Lee Valley Junior Ice Hockey Club – based at the Lee Valley Ice Centre. Our course develops young people aged five to 19 and helps them enjoy this exciting sport. A free one week taster session is available. **For more information, phone Eddie Joseph on 07958 743 680.**

Community Ward Forums

Grove Green Ward

Wednesday 7 October, 7–9pm
Sidmouth Park House, Sidmouth Park Road, E10 5QT

Markhouse Ward

Thursday 8 October, 7–9pm
Edinburgh Primary School, 97 Queens Road, E17 8QR

Hale End and Highams Park Ward

Wednesday 14 October, 7–9pm
Thorpe Hall Primary School, 123 Hale End Road, E17 4DP

Larkswood and Valley Wards joint meeting

Monday 12 October, 7–9pm
South Chingford Community Hall, 265 Chingford Mount Road, E4 8LP

Wood Street Ward

Monday 19 October, 7–9pm
Henry Maynard Primary School, Addison Road Site, E17 9LT

Council Meetings

Tuesday 6 October

Planning Committee, 7pm

Thursday 8 October

Education Scrutiny Committee

Tuesday 13 October

Cabinet, 2pm

Wednesday 14 October

Community Safety Scrutiny Committee

Thursday 15 October

Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Committee

All meetings are held at Waltham Forest Town Hall and start at 7.30pm, unless stated otherwise. Dates and times are subject to change.

Tell us what's on

Email your event details to:

walthamforestnews@walthamforest.gov.uk

Free internet access is available at all libraries in the borough.

The deadline for Monday 2 November edition is **Friday 16 October**

Please note inclusion cannot be guaranteed, due to the high volume of requests received.

Please send your listing requests in the body of an email, formatted as shown on these pages.

London Borough of Waltham Forest

Members Allowances scheme

Elected Members (Councillors) of an Authority are entitled under the Members' Allowances scheme to receive remuneration for the duties they perform. This scheme is set out in the Constitution of the Council.

The scheme is governed by the Local Government & Housing Act, 1989, as amended and the Local Authorities (Members' Allowances) (England) Regulations, 2003. All Councillors are entitled to a basic allowance to cover their democratic duties. Some Councillors also receive a Special Responsibility Allowance (SRA) reflecting the level of additional

duties they undertake (see the table below). Councillors who hold more than one post are only entitled to claim the SRA with the greatest value. In appropriate circumstances, Councillors can claim an allowance towards carers' costs, travelling and subsistence costs when carrying out certain duties outside the Borough.

Members Allowances were reduced by 5% and then frozen in 2011 in response to the difficult economic climate facing residents and the financial constraints on Local Government spending. At that time the

Council took into consideration recommendations of the London Council's Independent Panel on Members' Allowances published in May 2010. A more recent report from this panel published in June 2014 will be considered in future reviews of allowances although its latest conclusions were not significantly changed from previously. One significant change in 2014 is that the Government have introduced regulations which withdraw the right of members to belong to the Local Government Pension scheme.

The following table sets out the current rates of Members' Allowances for the Municipal Year, 2015/16. Also set out are payments made to individual Members in the financial year 2014/15. The 2014/15 figures reflect that some Councillors did not hold office for a full year due to the election, this is the reason why more than 60 Councillors names appear on the schedule and because of this some Councillors had changes of responsibility in the year.

Members Allowances, May 2015 – 2016

Allowance	Amount (£)	Payable to
Basic Allowance	10,000	● All members in addition to Special Responsibility Allowance if applicable
Special responsibility allowance	40,000	● Leader of the Council
	26,000	● Deputy Leader of the Council
	21,000	● Cabinet Members
	16,000	● Leader of the Opposition Party
	8,000	● Junior Cabinet Members ● Chair of Planning Committee ● Chair of Licensing Committee ● Chairs of the Overview and Scrutiny Committees ● Council Chief Whip ● Mayor
	4,000	● Chair of Audit & Governance Committee ● Chair of Pensions Fund Committee ● Chair of Transport Liaison Consultative Group ● Vice-Chair of Planning Committee ● Vice-Chair of Licensing Committee ● Main Opposition Chief Whip
	937	● Independent Person appointed (with effect from 1 July 2012) under Section 28 of the Localism Act 2011
	684	● Independent Member of Audit & Governance Committee

Member's name	Financial Year 2014/15 (Subject to Audit)			
	Basic Allowance	Special Responsibility Allowance	Subsistence and travel allowance	Total Payments
	£	£	£	£
M Ahmad	10,000	0	9	10,009
A Akram	1,532	0	0	1,532
L Ali	10,000	21,000	0	31,000
N Ali	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
R Anwar	10,000	0	0	10,000
M Asghar	10,000	800	0	10,800
N Asghar	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
M Balkan	8,495	0	0	8,495
P J Barnett	10,000	6,624	0	16,624
A M Bean	10,000	21,000	0	31,000
A Beg	8,495	0	0	8,495
A Bell	8,495	0	0	8,495
K Bellamy	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
T Bennett Goodman	8,495	0	0	8,495
K Berberi	8,495	0	0	8,495
R Berg	10,000	0	0	10,000
L Braham	1,532	0	0	1,532
P Braham	10,000	0	0	10,000
N Buckmaster	1,532	0	0	1,532
C Coghill	10,000	21,000	0	31,000
E Davies	1,532	0	0	1,532
B Davies	1,532	0	0	1,532
M T Davis	10,000	16,000	0	26,000
P Douglas	10,000	7,200	0	17,200
J Edwards *	0	0	0	0
P Edwards	8,495	0	0	8,495
S Emmerson	8,495	6,400	0	14,895
C Erics	8,495	0	0	8,495
K Falconer	1,532	1,226	0	2,758
M J Fitzgerald	10,000	0	0	10,000
T Goddard	1,532	0	0	1,532
J C Gray	10,000	4,000	0	14,000
H Halebi	8,495	0	0	8,495
A Hemsted	10,000	0	0	10,000
J Hemsted	10,000	0	0	10,000
P V Herrington	10,000	3,200	0	13,200
S Highfield	10,000	4,000	0	14,000
M Hussain	1,532	0	0	1,532
W Ihenachor	8,495	0	0	8,495
T James	8,495	0	0	8,495
H Khan	1,532	0	0	1,532
A Khan	10,000	21,000	0	31,000
J Khan	8,495	0	0	8,495
M Lewis	1,532	1,226	0	2,758
K Limbajee	10,000	18,400	0	28,400
S Littlejohn	8,495	0	0	8,495

Member's name	Payments to members 2014/15 (Subject to Audit)			
	Basic Allowance	Special Responsibility Allowance	Subsistence and travel allowance	Total Payments
	£	£	£	£
C W Loakes	10,000	26,000	106	36,106
G Lyons	10,000	1,600	0	11,600
A Mahmood	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
S Mahmud	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
A Mbachu	10,000	6,400	0	16,400
B Mill	10,000	0	0	10,000
S Miller	8,495	2,828	0	11,323
L Mitchell	8,495	3,200	0	11,695
J Moss	10,000	0	0	10,000
Y Osho	8,495	0	0	8,495
E J Phillips	1,532	0	0	1,532
M E Pye	10,000	10,600	0	20,600
S Qadir	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
M F Qureshi	1,532	0	0	1,532
N Qureshi	1,532	0	0	1,532
S Rackham	10,000	0	0	10,000
K Rayner	8,495	0	0	8,495
G Reardon	1,532	0	0	1,532
C A Robbins	10,000	40,000	148	50,147
M Rusling	10,000	21,000	36	31,036
N Russell	1,532	1,226	0	2,758
A Samih	1,532	0	0	1,532
A Siggers	10,000	4,000	0	14,000
W Smith	1,532	0	0	1,532
A Strathern	8,495	0	0	8,495
R F Sullivan	1,532	613	0	2,145
D S Sunger	1,532	0	0	1,532
R C Sweden	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
S Terry	8,495	3,200	0	11,695
E Vincent	1,532	1,226	0	2,758
S Waldron	8,495	6,400	0	14,895
G A Walker	10,000	0	0	10,000
L Wedderburn	1,532	0	0	1,532
T V Wheeler	10,000	8,000	0	18,000
G Williams	8,495	0	0	8,495
Co-Opted				
C W Webb-Ingall	684	0	0	684
D Fluskey	937	0	0	937
	345,367	298		937,848

* Cllr J Edwards has voluntarily chosen not to receive any members allowances.

Leyton



Pupils and instructors show off their medals and trophies

Medals for martial artists

- Leyton Tang Soo Do club triumphs at European Championships
- Instructor says pupils are “a credit to the community”

Talented local martial artists triumphed at the 2015 Tang Soo Do European Championship competition this summer – bringing home an impressive haul of medals and trophies.

More than 500 competitors from across Europe gathered for the competition, which was held at the University of Nottingham in late August.

Among the winners were members of the Leyton branch of the World Tang Soo Do Association, which meets every Saturday at Leyton Parish Hall (Lindley Road, E10 6QT). The club returned with an impressive haul of 22 medals and trophies.

Ellie Jennings, a pupil at Leytonstone School and member of Leyton Tang Soo Do since 2012, was named European Junior Black Belt Female Grand Champion at the tender age of 12. Ellie took two gold medals and one bronze medal during the competition to win the overall title.

Club founder and instructor, Mohammed Islam, told Waltham Forest News: “I’m so proud of the

students who took part. It was a really humbling experience to see them nervous about competing but then focusing, doing their best and coming away with medals.

“They put a lot of extra training in for the competition, and the fact that we came away with so many prizes shows what can be achieved. They’re a credit to me, themselves and, most importantly, the community.”

Tang Soo Do is a Korean martial art that combines agility, power, whole body endurance and flexibility. Training includes stances, forms, breathing exercises, self-defence, hand and foot techniques, sparring and free fighting. It is suitable for everyone aged five and over, and also teaches the importance of self-discipline and social responsibility.

Mohammed said: “Tang Soo Do is quite different from other martial arts. It’s very fun and energetic, and because there is lots of kicking and jumping it’s good for fitness and mobility. It’s also ideal to help you maintain a feeling of well-being, because a good training session

can help take your mind off the day’s stresses.”

The club started in Leyton more than five years ago and now has over 50 members regularly attending training sessions on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Mohammed said: “We’ve got students of all ages, from all backgrounds. In the time since I started teaching, I’ve seen several students progress and even attain black belts.

“I’m very privileged to be able to see the improvement in young people’s self-confidence. Martial arts are not just great for keeping fit, they teach a hard work ethic and self-discipline. All students are encouraged to get to class on time, and give each training session their all.”

Mohammed added: “Training in Tang Soo Do is good for everyone. You don’t have to be particularly fit or flexible at first, as long as you are willing to give yourself a chance to progress.

“One of my pupils is a grandmother, and two other generations of her family

also attend. She used to get disheartened when she felt she couldn’t kick as high or as strong as some of the younger members of the class, but she persisted with training and has made great progress.

“She also attended the European Championships, and came away with a well-deserved medal. I always remind students that fitness and strength comes with practice and time, and the most important element is to learn and improve each time you train. I’d encourage anyone who is interested to come along and give a session a try.”

The group meets from 10am to 12noon every Saturday at Leyton Parish Hall (Lindley Road, E10 6QT) and at Leytonstone School Sports Hall (James Lane, E11 1JD) every Wednesday from 6 to 7pm.

More info

For more information, email mr.misla@gbtsda.com, visit www.facebook.com and search ‘Leyton Tang Soo Do’ or phone 07989 338 879.

In brief



Zishan raised £500 for charity

Zishan’s charity challenge

Leyton student, Zishan Kinoo, raised nearly £500 for charity earlier this summer, after completing a three mile wheelchair challenge for ‘Move a Mile for Muscles’ – Muscular Dystrophy UK’s summer fundraising campaign. Wheelchair user Zishan, 20, has Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy, a condition which leads to muscles weakening and wasting over time, causing severe disability. Joined by dozens of his friends and family members, Zishan’s fundraiser saw him travel in his powered wheelchair from the Muscular Dystrophy UK offices, in Southwark, to the finish line at Regent’s Park. The route passed some of London’s most iconic landmarks, including Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament. Zishan is currently studying Business Management at Westminster University. As well as being an active fundraiser, he is also member of Trailblazers, a group of 600 people campaigning for Muscular Dystrophy UK.

• If you would like to sponsor Zishan, visit www.justgiving.com/Zishan-Kinoo. For more information on Muscular Dystrophy, visit www.musculardystrophyuk.org.

Beginners ‘Love2Run’

Eton Manor Athletics Club is encouraging residents who would like to learn to jog or run 5km to get in touch and join its group of amateur athletes. The club, which is based at Leyton Jubilee Park (The Cottage, 3 Marsh Lane, E10 7BL) is small, but friendly and welcoming. It hosts a regular beginners’ programme called Love2Run which can take you from no running to running 5km in nine weeks. Participants train in a group of people of similar ability with the guidance of qualified leaders. It begins by alternating 60 seconds of jogging and 90 seconds of walking for a total of 20 minutes. Each week the programme builds up so that you run a little more each time and walk a little less. The next beginners’ sessions will start on Thursday 8 October; contact the club for full details.

• For more information, email etonmanorac2013@gmail.com.

Borough's young leaders celebrated



Members of Waltham Forest Young Advisors and the Youth Independent Advisory Group with their awards

Young people from Waltham Forest have been singled out for their community achievements at a national awards event.

The Young Advisors charity represents young people who show community leaders how to engage young people in community life, local decision-making and improving services. It has officially recognised the achievements of the borough's core youth engagement groups: the Waltham Forest Young Advisors and Youth Independent Advisory Group (YIAG).

Young Advisors are trained consultants who work with the Council and its partner services to ensure they are youth-friendly.

They advise how to make local services better for young people, while the YIAG takes an interest in community safety issues. Its members are accredited as 'peer trainers', running regular sessions at schools, Pupil Referral Units and the Youth Offending Service on topics including bullying, gangs and healthy relationships. They also engage with the police about how to deal with young people.

At the nationwide charity's annual awards ceremony, two awards for partnership working were given to each of the groups as part of the Team Together award category – and 22-year-old Karishma Mahomed from Leyton was named Young

Advisor of the Year.

Karishma is one of the founding members of Waltham Forest's original Young Advisors group, which was set up in 2007 when she was 13 years old. She's been with the group throughout its development and in that time has served as the borough's youth mayoress and contributed to many discussions and decisions made by Council committees as well as helping shape a wide variety of projects for young people.

Karishma, who recently finished a four year law degree, said: "Being a Young Advisor has been an extraordinary experience. It has provided me with the opportunity to

National awards for Waltham Forest's groups for young people

Group praised for giving borough's young people a voice

work alongside a diverse group of people, whether young or older, to ensure that young voices are heard and acted upon.

"I was honoured and surprised to win the Young Advisor of the Year award. It reinforced the aim of the Young Advisors charity that we can make an impact on young lives through our work with the community.

"Although it was an individual award, my achievements would not have been possible without the great support from my team – working together to make sure our young voices are valued and respected."

The Council's Young Advisors and YIAG were presented awards to recognise their efforts working in partnership to help support young people across the borough. They recently worked together to survey young people in A&E about their experience of urgent care as part of a commission for independent consumer champion Healthwatch Waltham Forest.

Members of both groups have also become regular helpers at some of the Council's Get Together events. This year they assisted at the Leyton Big Weekender, Walthamstow Garden Party, Chingford Big Weekender and Leytonstone

Weekender, carrying out satisfaction surveys as well as helping with event management.

Cllr Mark Rusling, Cabinet Member for Children and Young People, said: "The young members of the YIAG and the Young Advisors are an absolute credit to their community. They rightly deserve to be recognised for their hard work speaking up for fellow young people, striving to make our borough an even better place to live and establishing themselves as remarkable youth leaders.

"What really stands out about the members of both groups is that they come from all walks of life and backgrounds. There are ex-offenders who have turned their lives around; determined young people who have grown up in care; school, college and university students with ambitions of greatness; and driven young parents – together they are giving all young people in Waltham Forest a voice."

More info

Learn more about the work carried out by Waltham Forest's Young Advisors, including how to get involved, by visiting www.walthamforest.gov.uk/involve-young-people

In brief

Mentor a child

Children's charity Chance UK is calling on residents to find out more about mentoring a child at an event taking place on Thursday 15 October. The information evening takes place in the Council Chamber (Waltham Forest Town Hall, Forest Road, E17 4JF) from 5.30 to 7.30pm, and you can drop in any time. Chance UK is recruiting mentors for children aged seven to 11 who have behavioural difficulties. As a volunteer mentor, you meet with a child once a week for a year and take

part in fun activities such as sports, arts and craft, museums visits and other days out. Mentoring a child is one of the most satisfying, fun and rewarding experiences you can have. So why not drop in, chat to Chance UK staff and meet a mentor? Refreshments will be provided.

• For more information on the event, phone Nyree or Kevin on 020 7281 5858 x213. Visit www.chanceuk.com for general information.

Diabetes Roadshow

Diabetes UK is inviting residents to attend a free 'Know Your Risk' roadshow to find out more about your risk of getting Type 2 diabetes, and how to reduce it. The Big Blue 'Know Your Risk' Diabetes UK Bus will be pitched in Walthamstow Town Square (High Street, E17 7JN) from 9.30am to 4.30pm on Monday 12 and Tuesday 13 October. Friendly volunteers and qualified dieticians will ask a series of questions and take measurements to tell you how likely you are to develop Type 2 diabetes over the next ten years. Type 2 diabetes is serious

and can lead to devastating complications such as heart disease, stroke, kidney disease, blindness or amputation. But, if managed properly, people with Type 2 diabetes can live long, healthy lives. Four out of five cases of Type 2 diabetes can be stopped or delayed by eating a healthy diet, taking regular physical activity and maintaining a healthy weight.

• For information, visit www.diabetes.org.uk/knownyourrisk or follow the roadshow on Twitter #dukroadshow.



The Diabetes UK Roadshow is coming to Walthamstow

Notices

729-751 Lea Bridge Road garage site development proposal Statutory Consultation – Secure Council Tenants of 729-751 Lea Bridge Road Section 105 of Housing Act 1985

The Council intends to consult all secure tenants at 729-751 Lea Bridge Road on the proposal to build new homes at the garage site and drying area of 729-751 Lea Bridge Road. This is a “matter of housing management” that is likely to substantially affect secure tenants at these properties for the purposes of Section 105 of the Housing Act 1985.

The arrangements for this consultation are as follows:

- On or around **5th October** all secure tenants at 729-751 Lea Bridge Road will be sent a ‘729-751 Lea Bridge Road Garage’ Information Pack summarising the issues involved and setting out the Councils’ proposals. This pack will consist of a letter and drawings of the proposals.
 - Secure tenants will be invited to make their views known to the Council via email or by writing to the Council at the addresses given in the Information Pack. We will also invite views from the leaseholders within the flats as leases may need to be varied.
 - Secure tenants will have 28 days to make their views known to the Council. Before making a final decision on this matter the Council will consider any representations made in accordance with these arrangements.
- This Notice is published in accordance with Section 105(5) of the Housing Act 1985. A copy of this Notice is online at: <http://www.aschamhomes.org.uk/resident%20involvement/consultation-and-feedback.aspx>
- Responses must be received no later than 2nd November 2015.**

Tenby Court Undercroft site development proposal Statutory Consultation – Secure Council Tenants of Tenby Court Section 105 of Housing Act 1985

The Council intends to consult all secure tenants at Tenby Court on the proposal to build new homes within the undercroft at Tenby Court. This is a “matter of housing management” that is likely to substantially affect secure tenants at these properties for the purposes of Section 105 of the Housing Act 1985.

The arrangements for this consultation are as follows:

- On or around **5th October** all secure tenants at Tenby Court will be sent a ‘Tenby Court Undercroft’ Information Pack summarising the issues involved and setting out the Councils’ proposals. This pack will consist of a letter and drawings of the proposals.
- Secure tenants will be invited to make their views known to the Council via email or by writing to the Council at the addresses given in the Information Pack. We will also invite views from the

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Public Consultation – Privacy Impact Assessment

Environmental Enforcement Officers with Body Worn Video Cameras What is environmental enforcement?

As part of Waltham Forest’s commitment to Keeping your Neighbourhood Clean and Safe, Environmental Enforcement Officers will be patrolling the borough from the 4th November 2015. Enforcement Officers will encourage people to treat the environment with respect but also have powers to issue fixed penalty notices to those caught littering, fly tipping, fly posting, allowing dogs to foul public areas and other forms of “enviro crime”.

Body Worn Video Cameras

Mounted on the chest or head these devices capture video and audio. They are activated by the officer when an offence has occurred or in situations where a recording may help improve safety. The data is encrypted and stored on the device (officers are not able to view or edit the footage) and transferred to a dedicated secure storage facility at the end of each shift where it remains for no more than 90 days, unless required for investigation, before being deleted.

Why are body worn video devices required?

Staff safety and professionalism is of utmost importance. Recording devices provide a factual record of events and have been shown to support staff in difficult situations and ensure a positive outcome for all.

Consultation

Privacy by Design is code of practice issued by the Information Commissioner under section 51 of the Data Protection Act and recommends that all services should be subject to a privacy impact assessment – which includes public consultation. Waltham Forest Borough Council and partner, NSL, wish to understand your views so they can be included in our privacy impact assessment.

The consultation is now open and runs to 3rd November. A copy of this notice is available to members of the public on request.

Email your comments to: wfenvironmental@nsl.co.uk

Write to us:

BWV PIA Consultation
Level 4
Westgate House
London
W5 1YY

Highways

LONDON BOROUGH OF WALTHAM FOREST ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTIONS 6 and 23 HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 – SECTIONS 90A AND 90C COPPERMILL LANE QUIETWAY 38 (T27(15))

PROPOSED INTRODUCTION OF RAISED PEDESTRIAN CROSSING, TRAFFIC CALMING INCLUDING SPEED TABLE AND REVISED ROAD HUMPS, RELOCATION AND REDUCTION OF PARKING AND WAITING AMENDMENTS THE WALTHAM FOREST (FREE PARKING PLACES) (SHORT STAY) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 2015 THE WALTHAM FOREST (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTION) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 2015 THE WALTHAM FOREST (BLACKHORSE ROAD CPZ) (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 2015

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Waltham Forest (the Council) under section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, Sections 90A and 90C of the Highways Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999 proposes to provide a new raised “zebra” pedestrian crossing in **Coppermill Lane E17**, so that the centre of the crossing is situated 10 metres north-east of the north-east kerb-line of Morland Road E17. Associated zig-zag markings, on which vehicles would be prohibited from stopping at all times, will be placed on the carriageway either side of the crossing (extending up to a maximum of 17 metres north-eastwards and south-westwards).

The elevated section of the pedestrian crossings mentioned above will extend across the full width of the carriageway with ramps measuring up to 2 metres in length with a plateau of up to 10 metres in length on the crossings and associated zig-zag markings.

2. FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Council proposes to make the above-mentioned traffic Orders under sections 6, 45 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended. The general effect of the Orders to coincide with the proposed Zebra crossings and other traffic calming measures would be to:-

- relocate a 5 minute maximum stay free short stay parking place (fss) operating Mondays to Saturdays between 9am and 5pm with no return within 2 hours in Coppermill Lane (situated between Nos. 149 and 155 Coppermill Lane), to the north-east side of **Edward Road E17** (outside No. 114 Edward Road – displacing approximately 5.5 metres of double yellow line “at any time” waiting restriction and 9.3 metres of BR permit parking space) and extend the operational period of the relocated free short stay parking place to match the BL Controlled Parking Zone (that is between 8am and 6.30pm Mondays to Saturdays). The

length, the 5 minute ‘maximum stay’ and 2 hour ‘no return’ period of the fss parking place would remain the same.

- due to the relocation of the fss mentioned in paragraph 2(a) above, reduce a BR permit parking place south of No. 2 **Edward Road E17** by 9.3 metres;
- reduce the double yellow lines “at any time” waiting restriction on the north-east side of **Edward Road E17** situated at the junction with Coppermill Lane by 5.5 metres;

(d) extend “at any time” double yellow lines waiting restrictions in **Coppermill Lane E17**:

- on the *north-west side* (a) from a point opposite No. 161 Coppermill Lane to a point opposite the common boundary of Nos. 167 and 169 Coppermill Lane, and (b) from a point outside No. 114 Coppermill Lane to a point 1 metre north-east of the common boundary of Nos. 108 and 110 Coppermill Lane; and

- on the *south-east side* from a point outside No. 161 Coppermill Lane (the extended footway) to a point outside the common boundary of Nos. 161 and 163 Coppermill Lane;

- provide a double yellow line “at any time” waiting restriction from the south-westernmost edge of the unrestricted parking place outside No. 149 Coppermill Lane to the existing double yellow lines situated between Nos. 157 Coppermill Lane and the north-eastern kerb line of Morland Road (the proposed zebra crossing mentioned in paragraph 1 will be laid over the proposed “at any time” waiting restriction which will remain invisible as long as the zebra crossing remains in effect).

3. FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Council, in accordance with Sections 90A and 90C of the Highways Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999, proposes to introduce:

- a speed table in **Coppermill Lane E17** situated approximately 43 metres south-west of the south-west kerb-line of the unnamed access road to Gate 6 of the Coppermill Treatment Works south-westwards for a distance of 16 metres in length including the gradients (the gradients will be 2 metres at either end);
- sinusoidal road humps to replace existing speed cushions in **Coppermill Lane E17**:

- outside Nos. 141, 191, 205 and 215;
- at points approximately 54 and 120 metres south-west of No. 215,
- at a point approximately 30 metres north-east of No. 211
- opposite Nos. 1 and 6 Waterside;
- at points approximately 65, 136 and 199 metres south-west of the south-west boundary of No. 6 Waterside;
- approximately 20 metres north-east of the northernmost edge of Walthamstow Marshes car park which is situated just north-east of the low underpass to the elevated railway line.

The sinusoidal road humps would be elevated sections of carriageway approximately 100 millimetres (+/- 5mm) higher than the surrounding carriageway, extending across the full width of the carriageway and approx 3.7 metres in length.

4. A copy of each of the Orders, the Council’s statement of reasons for proposing to make the Orders and plans

showing the locations and effect of the Orders can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or, as the case may be, the Council decides not to make the Orders, at (a) The Information Desk, Town Hall, Forest Road, Walthamstow, E17; and (b) The Reception Desk, London Borough of Waltham Forest, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS.

5. Any person desiring to object to the Orders/proposals or to make any other representation should send a statement in writing of either their objection and the grounds thereof or of their representation to Traffic Orders, Engineering Design, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS quoting reference **T27(15) – Coppermill Quietway 38** the end of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

For more information please telephone 020 8496 3000 quoting reference Traffic Orders – **T17(15)**

Dated 5th October 2015

Mr. K. Valavan, Head of Highways and Infrastructure, Neighbourhoods and Commissioning, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS

LONDON BOROUGH OF WALTHAM FOREST

EXPERIMENTAL INTRODUCTION OF BREWSTER ROAD AREA, E10 (BWR) CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE (T34(15))

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Waltham Forest (the Council) on **2nd October 2015** made **The Waltham Forest (Brewster Road Area CPZ) (Parking Places) Experimental Order 2015, The Waltham Forest (Free Parking Places) (Short Stay) (Amendment No. 30) Experimental Order 2015 and The Waltham Forest (Waiting & Loading Restriction) (Amendment No. 88) Experimental Order 2015** under sections 9 and 10 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The Orders will come into force on **2nd November 2015** and may continue in force for up to 18 months.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be, as an experiment, to introduce:-

- the **Brewster Road Area (BWR) Controlled Parking Zone** into: **Brewster Road E10, Coopers Lane E10, Crawley Road E10** and **Farmer Road E10** (the north-easternmost, north-east to south-west and north-west to south-east arms);
- new permit holder parking places and waiting and loading restrictions into the streets and parts of streets mentioned in paragraph 2(a) above; and
- a new free short stay parking place into **Crawley Road E10** (north-east side – opposite Nos. 5 to 25), with a maximum stay of 1 hour and no return within 2 hours.

3. The Orders will provide that –

- the operational hours for the permit parking places and free short stay parking place throughout the new **BWR CPZ** will be between **8 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. on Mondays to Saturdays** inclusive; and
- virtual residents’ permits, business/charity permits, visitors’ permits, school parking permits, virtual and hard-copy residents’ foreign vehicle permits and

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essential user/carers permits may be issued, on payment of the appropriate charge, to a person who is the keeper of a passenger vehicle (having 8 passenger seats or less), certain goods carrying vehicles and invalid carriages, (motor cycles would be able to park in permit parking places free of charge, without the need of a parking permit) providing that in the case of -

- (i) a virtual residents' permit, they are a resident of a street or part of a street specified in paragraph 2(a) above, and their vehicle is UK registered to that address;
- (ii) a foreign vehicles residents' permit (hard-copy/virtual), they are a resident of a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above, and their vehicle is registered outside of the UK;
- (iii) a business/charity permit/business visitor's permit, they have a business in a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above, and that the permit is for a vehicle which is essential to the operation of that business/charity and is used in the purchase and sale of goods or services in connection with that business/charity;
- (iv) an essential users/carers permit, they are a doctor or carer who has a surgery in or works in the London Borough of Waltham Forest, or employed by or contracted to the Council, or employed by the London Fire and Civil Defence Authority, or a company that services fire fighting appliances and for whom the use of a vehicle is essential to the carrying out of their public service duties in a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above;
- (v) a visitors' permit, they are a resident of a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above and that such permit is to be used by a bona fide visitor to their home;
- (vi) a schools parking permit, they are a parent of a student enlisted at a school situated in or near a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above;
- (c) vehicles displaying any valid permit displaying the letters **BWR** may use any of the permit parking places provided in the streets and parts of streets specified in

- paragraph 2(a) above;
- (d) other than in the permit parking places or the free short stay parking places referred to in paragraphs 2 (b) and (c) above, waiting by vehicles will generally be restricted between **8 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. on Mondays to Saturdays inclusive** in all other parts of streets within the **BWR** CPZ; except where **at any time** waiting restrictions will apply in **Brewster Road** [on the north side, adjacent to No. 1 Brewster Road and the rear of No. 601 High Road Leyton]; **Coopers Lane** [on the south-east side – (a) adjacent to Nos. 18 and 20 and (b) between No. 2a Coopers Lane and the rear of No. 627 High Road Leyton], **Crawley Road** [on the south-west side, adjacent to Nos. 43 to 55]; and **Farmer Road** [(a) on the north-east and north-west sides of the south-western junction of the north-west to south-east and north-east to south-west arms; and (b) the north-east side, adjacent to No. 205 and the rear of No. 19 Coopers Lane].
4. The properties specified in the **Schedule** to this Notice would be eligible in respect of permits to park in the new **BWR** CPZ.
5. The charges for permits and vehicle class will be as follows:-
6. Where it appears necessary for certain purposes, an authorised officer of the Council may, in pursuance of section 10(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, modify or suspend any provision of the experimental Traffic Orders while they are in force.
7. Documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection between 9.30 am and 4.30 pm on Mondays to Fridays inclusive (except Bank Holidays), from 5th October 2015 until the Orders cease to have effect, at (a) The Information Desk, Town Hall, Forest Road, Walthamstow, E17; (b) Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS.
8. The Council will be considering in due course whether the provisions of the experimental Orders should be continued in force indefinitely by means of permanent Orders made under sections 6, 45, 46 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. Any person may object to the making of the permanent Orders for the purpose of such indefinite continuation within a period of six

months beginning with the day on which the experimental Orders come into force or, if the Orders are varied by another Order or modified pursuant to section 10(2) of the 1984 Act, beginning with the day on which the variation or modification or the latest variation or modification came into force. Any such objection must be made in writing and must state the grounds on which it is made and be sent to Traffic Orders, Engineering Design, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS quoting reference T34 (15) – Brewster Road Area (BWR) CPZ. Any objection may be communicated to, or be seen by, other persons who may be affected.

9. If any person wishes to question the validity of any the Orders or of any of their provisions on the grounds that they are not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, or that any requirement of that Act or any instrument made under that Act has not been complied with, that person may, within 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Dated 5th October 2015
Mr. K. Valavan
Head of Highways and Infrastructure,
Neighborhoods and Commissioning,
Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS

SCHEDULE (properties whose occupiers are eligible to purchase permits to park in the new BWR CPZ) -
Brewster Road E10 – all; **Coopers Lane E10** – all; **Crawley Road E10** – all; **Farmer Road E10** – Nos. 71 to 205 (odds) and Nos. 2 to 134 (evens); and **High Road Leyton E10** – Nos. 477, 479 and Nos. 563 to 639 (odd).

LONDON BOROUGH OF WALTHAM FOREST
EXPERIMENTAL INTRODUCTION OF WILMOT ROAD AREA, E10 (WR) CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE (T35(15))

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Waltham Forest (the Council) on **2nd October 2015 made The Waltham Forest (Wilmot Road Area CPZ) (Parking Places) Experimental Order 2015, The Waltham Forest (Free Parking Places) (Short Stay) (Amendment No. 31) Experimental**

Order 2015 and The Waltham Forest (Waiting & Loading Restriction) (Amendment No. 89) Experimental Order 2015 under sections 9 and 10 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The Orders will come into force on **2nd November 2015** and may continue in force for up to 18 months.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be, as an experiment, to introduce:-

(a) **the Wilmot Road Area (WR) Controlled Parking Zone into: Rosedene Terrace E10, Thornhill Gardens E10, Thornhill Road E10 and Wilmot Road E10;**

(b) new permit holder parking places and waiting and loading restrictions into the streets and parts of streets mentioned in paragraph 2(a) above; and

(c) new free short stay parking place into **Wilmot Road E10 (north-east side – adjacent to No. 26 Grange Park Road; and south-west side – adjacent to No. 24 (surgery) Grange Park Road), with a maximum stay of 1 hour and no return within 2 hours.**

3. The Orders will provide that –

(a) the operational hours for the permit parking places and free short stay parking place throughout the new **WR** CPZ will be between **8 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. on Mondays to Saturdays inclusive;** and

(b) virtual residents' permits, business/charity permits, visitors' permits, school parking permits, virtual and hard-copy residents' foreign vehicle permits and essential user/carers permits may be issued, on payment of the appropriate charge, to a person who is the keeper of a passenger vehicle (having 8 passenger seats or less), certain goods carrying vehicles and invalid carriages, (motor cycles would be able to park in permit parking places free of charge, without the need of a parking permit) providing that in the case of -

(i) a virtual residents' permit, they are a resident of a street or part of a street specified in paragraph 2(a) above, and their vehicle is UK registered to that address;

(ii) a foreign vehicles residents' permit (hard-copy/virtual), they are a resident of a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above, and their vehicle is registered outside of the UK;

- (iii) a business/charity permit/business visitor's permit, they have a business in a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above, and that the permit is for a vehicle which is essential to the operation of that business/charity and is used in the purchase and sale of goods or services in connection with that business/charity;
 - (iv) an essential users/carers permit, they are a doctor or carer who has a surgery in or works in the London Borough of Waltham Forest, or employed by or contracted to the Council, or employed by or contracted to a health authority, or employed by the Metropolitan Police, or employed by the London Fire and Civil Defence Authority, or a company that services fire fighting appliances and for whom the use of a vehicle is essential to the carrying out of their public service duties in a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above;
 - (v) a visitors' permit, they are a resident of a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above and that such permit is to be used by a bona fide visitor to their home;
 - (vi) a schools parking permit, they are a parent of a student enlisted at a school situated in or near a street or part of a street specified in sub-paragraph (i) above;
 - (c) vehicles displaying any valid permit displaying the letters **WR** may use any of the permit parking places provided in the streets and parts of streets specified in paragraph 2(a) above;
 - (d) other than in the permit parking places or the free short stay parking places referred to in paragraphs 2 (b) and (c) above, waiting by vehicles will generally be restricted between **8 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. on Mondays to Saturdays inclusive** in all other parts of streets within the **WR** CPZ; except where **at any time** waiting restrictions will apply in **Rosedene Terrace** [on the south-west side, outside Nos. 22 and 22a]; **Thornhill Road** [on the north-west side – (a) outside No. 51 and adjacent to No. 28 Rosedene Terrace; (b) adjacent to No. 27 Rosedene Terrace; (c) outside Salway House (Nos. 25 to 33); and (d) north-east of No. 20], and **Thornhill Gardens.**
4. The properties specified in the **Schedule** to this Notice would be eligible in respect of permits to park in the new **WR** CPZ.
5. The charges for permits and vehicle class will be as follows (see overleaf):-
6. Where it appears necessary for certain purposes, an authorised officer of the Council may, in pursuance of section 10(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, modify or suspend any provision of the experimental Traffic Orders while they are in force.
7. Documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection between 9.30 am and 4.30 pm on Mondays to Fridays inclusive (except Bank Holidays), from 5th October 2015 until the Orders cease to have effect, at (a) The Information Desk, Town Hall, Forest Road, Walthamstow, E17; (b) Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS.
8. The Council will be considering in due course whether the provisions of the experimental Orders should be continued in force indefinitely by means of permanent Orders made under sections 6, 45, 46

	Engine size less than 900cc registered before 1st March 2001	Engine size between 901cc and 3000cc registered before 1st March 2001	Engine size more than 3000cc registered before 1st March 2001	CO2 emissions less than 120 g/km registered after 1st March 2001	CO2 emissions between 121 and 225 g/km registered after 1st March 2001	CO2 emissions more than 225 g/km registered after 1st March 2001
Residents' permit – 12 months)	£12.50	£25.00	£120.00	£12.50	£25.00	£120.00
Residents' permit (second vehicle) – 12 months	£42.00	£90.00	£210.00	£42.00	£90.00	£210.00
Residents' permit (more than two vehicles) – 12 months	£65.00	£150.00	£280.00	£65.00	£150.00	£280.00
Virtual Residents' permit – 1 month	£10.00	£20.00	£100.00	£10.00	£20.00	£100.00
Residents' permit (virtual/hard-copy) foreign vehicle – 6 months	£24.00	£50.00	£150.00	£24.00	£50.00	£150.00
Schools 15 minute permit – 12 months	£21.00	£42.00	£125.00	£21.00	£42.00	£125.00

Other permits

All-Zone Business Visitor's Permit – book of 30 permits (valid for 1 hour each) £23, book of 20 permits (valid for 2 hours each) £30, and book of 10 permits (valid for 5 hours each) £40; Business Permit – 3 months, £220; Business Permit – 12 months, £390; Business Permit – 12 months (more than two vehicles), £570; Charity permit – 12 months, £40; Charity permit – 12 months (more than two vehicles), £172; Essential User Permit – 1 month, £30; Essential User Permit – 6 months, £110; Essential User Permit – 12 months, £190; Visitor permits – 1 hour book of 30, £14 (free to over 60's, 1 book per year); Visitor permits – 2 hours book of 20, £16; Visitor permits – 5 hours book of 10, £18, Vouchers – 80 pence for 30 minutes or £1.30 per hour. Services charges for change of VRM or change of address £5, for refunds £10 (refunds under £1 not permitted) and lost or stolen permits, £20.

and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. Any person may object to the making of the permanent Orders for the purpose of such indefinite continuation within a period of six months beginning with the day on which the experimental Orders come into force or, if the Orders are varied by another Order or modified pursuant to section 10(2) of the 1984 Act, beginning with the day on which the variation or modification or the latest variation or modification came into force. Any such objection must be made in writing and must state the grounds on which it is made and be sent to Traffic Orders, Engineering Design, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS quoting reference **T35 (15) – Wilmot Road Area (WR) CPZ.**

Any objection may be communicated to, or be seen by, other persons who may be affected.

9. If any person wishes to question the validity of any the Orders or of any of their provisions on the grounds that they are not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, or that any requirement of that Act or any instrument made under that Act has not been complied with, that person may, within 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Dated 5th October 2015
Mr. K. Valavan
Head of Highways and Infrastructure,
Neighborhoods and Commissioning,
Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS

SCHEDULE (properties whose occupiers are eligible to purchase permits to park in the new WR CPZ) -

Grange Park Road E10 – Nos. 22 to 26 (evens); **Oliver Road E10** – No. 23 and Nos. 49 to 55 (odds); **Rosedene Terrace E10** – all; **Thornhill Gardens E10** – all; **Thornhill Road E10** – all; and **Wilmot Road E10** – all.

LONDON BOROUGH OF WALTHAM FOREST
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1)
THE WALTHAM FOREST (COPPERMILL LANE E17 QUIET WAY) (HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMME) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC AND, RESTRICTION ON WAITING AND LOADING) (NO. 1) ORDER 2015 (TT68(15))

1. The Council of the London Borough of Waltham Forest HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that on **2nd October 2015** it made an Order to enable a revision to existing traffic calming measures, resurfacing and other related traffic highway construction works to be carried out in a safe and efficient manner in certain roads, the general effect of which would be, only at such times and to such extent as regulatory signs are displayed, to prohibit vehicles (except works vehicles) and restrict waiting and loading by vehicles (except works vehicles) from these roads.

2. Whilst the works are being carried out no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to enter, proceed, wait or load for any purpose, at any time, in ***Coppermill Lane E17, *Hazelwood Road E17 and *Haroldstone Road E17.**

3. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to enter, proceed, wait or load for

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any purpose, at any time, within 15 metres of the junction of any road adjoining the roads mentioned in paragraph 2 of this Notice.

4. Whilst the prohibitions referred to in paragraph 2 above remain in force, alternative routes for traffic would be indicated by traffic signs.

5. Vehicles waiting or loading in disregard of this Order would be removed.

6. The restrictions mentioned above would not apply in relation to any vehicle being used -

(a) in connection with the said works; or

(b) for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency, if the works allow.

7. The Order will come into operation on **5th October 2015** for a maximum period of 6 months, or until the works are completed, whichever is the sooner.

**NOTE: These works would not be carried out simultaneously in all sections of the roads mentioned in paragraph 2 above but in a sequence as directed by the Council.*
Dated 5th October 2015
Mr K Valavan, Head of Highways and Infrastructure, Neighbourhoods and Commissioning, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS

LONDON BOROUGH OF WALTHAM FOREST
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1)
THE WALTHAM FOREST (VARIOUS ROADS) (CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE ROAD MARKING) (TEMPORARY RESTRICTION ON WAITING AND LOADING) (NO. 1) ORDER 2015 (TT72(15))

1. The Council of the London Borough of Waltham Forest HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that on **Friday 2nd October 2015** it made an Order to enable road markings to be carried out in a safe and efficient manner in certain roads, the general effect of which will be, only at such times and to such extent as regulatory signs are displayed, to restrict waiting and loading by vehicles (except works vehicles) in certain roads.

2. Whilst the works are being carried out no person shall cause or permit any vehicle

to wait or load for any purpose, at any time, in the roads listed in the Schedule to this Notice.

3. Vehicles waiting or loading in disregard of this Order will be removed.

4. The restrictions mentioned above will not apply in relation to any vehicle being used:

(a) in connection with the said works; or

(b) for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency, if the works allow.

5. The Order will come into operation on **5th October 2015** and will be valid for a maximum period of 7 months, or until the works are completed whichever is the sooner.

NOTE: These works would not be carried out simultaneously in all roads but in a sequence as directed by the Council. The dates mentioned in the Schedule to this Notice are not absolute and act as a guide only. Leaflets would be distributed and signage placed in advance of any works which would give more specific details on the exact dates and locations of the restrictions and effects of any temporary traffic management and diversion routes as necessary.

NOTE: Thornhill Gardens has now been added into this Order. The particulars mentioned in the above NOTE apply with regards to notification of works.

Dated 5th October 2015
Mr K Valavan, Head of Highways and Infrastructure, Neighbourhoods and Commissioning, Low Hall, Argall Avenue, London, E10 7AS

Schedule
St James Park (SJP) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles:
Clacton Road E17; Essex Road E17; Grange Road E17; Forster Road E17; Hartington Road E17; Lynmouth Road E17; Low Hall Lane E17; Markhouse Avenue E17; South Access Road E17 – proposed start and end dates between 28/9/15 and 19/10/15
Fulbourne Road (FR) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles:
Chaucer Road E17, Clifford Road E17, Fulbourne Road E17, Kingsley Road E17, Macdonald Road E17, Spencer

Road E17, Spruce Road Hills E17 and St John's Road E17 – proposed start and end dates between 28/9/15 and 26/10/15
Brewster Road (BWR) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles
Brewster Road E10, Crawley Road E10, Copper's Lane E10, Farmer Road E10 (between Leyton High Road and No. 2 Farmer Road E10) – proposed start and end dates between 12/10/15 and 02/11/15

Wilmot Road (WR) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles
Rosedene Terrace E10, Thornhill Road E10, Thornhill Gardens E10, Wilmot Road E10 – proposed start and end dates between 12/10/15 and 2/11/15
Lloyd Park North (LPN) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles
Aveling Park Road E17, Carr Road E17, Cazenove Road E17, Chingford Road (between Evesham Avenue E17 and Cazenove Road), Elphinstone Road E17, Evesham Avenue E17, Fleeming Close E17, Fleeming Road E17, Marten Road E17, Pennant Terrace E17 – proposed start and end dates between 12/10/15 and 9/11/15

Whipps Cross South (extension) (WXS) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles
Carnarvon Road E10, Cromer Road E10 (between its junctions with Essex Road and Cromer Road), Greg Close E10, Liverpool Road E10, Matlock Road E10, Nottingham Road E10 (north-easternmost arm) – proposed start and end dates between 26/10/15 and 16/11/15

Wood Street East (WSE) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles
Bisterne Avenue E17, Dean Gardens E17, Foresters Drive E17, Fyfield Road E17 (between its junction with Upper Walthamstow Road and Avon Road) **Greenway Avenue E17, Upper Walthamstow Road E17** – proposed start and end dates between 9/11/15 and 7/12/15

Theydon Street (TS) CPZ roads restricted to vehicles
Harris Street E17, Hibbert Road E17, Bridge Road E17, Theydon Street E17, Wetherden Street E17, Sybourn Street E17 – proposed start and end dates between 9/11/15 and 14/12/15

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